## **RESOLUTION NO. 65-18**

## BY: LARRY NAPOLI, KRISTIN SABAN, JEFFREY CROSSMAN

(By Request – Service Director and Law Director)

A RESOLUTION TO ACCEPT AND ADOPT THE CLEAN WATER ACT INTEGRATED PLAN (PHASE I), OUTLINING THE CITY OF PARMA'S VISION TO ENHANCE ITS WET WEATHER RESILIENCY AND WATER QUALITY IMPROVEMENT, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, in recent decades an increase in the occurrence of very large wet weather events, many exceeding a 10-year recurrence interval, have occurred in Parma and surrounding communities; and,

WHEREAS, the Clean Water Act Integrated Plan, which follows the EPA's June 2012 Integrated Municipal Stormwater and Wastewater Planning Approach Framework, furthers the City's ongoing efforts to use all planning tools available to integrate stormwater management and wastewater collection management in order to realize environmental improvements; and

WHEREAS, Phase I of the Clean Water Act Integrated Plan is premised on an effort to characterize the City's sewer system in detail through ongoing comprehensive field investigation and hydraulic modeling;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PARMA, STATE OF OHIO:

- Section 1. That the Clean Water Act Integrated Plan Phase I is hereby accepted and adopted by this Council, with a copy of said plan attached hereto as Exhibit "A".
- Section 2. That the Clean Water Act Integrated Plan Phase I is to be filed in the office of the Clerk of Council upon adoption.
- Section 3. That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements.

Section 4. That this Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, safety and welfare of the City of Parma, and for the further reason that this measure is necessary in order to develop the Integrated Plan in keeping with the City's vision to enhance wet weather resiliency, and this Resolution shall become immediately effective upon receiving the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all members elected to Council and approval of the Mayor, otherwise from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED:	
	PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL
ATTEST:	APPROVED:
CLERK OF COUNCIL	
FILED WITH THE MAYOR:	
	MAYOR, CITY OF PARMA, OHIO